

Sixth Judicial District Department of Correctional Services  
Annual Report 2023

The following information is provided in accordance with PREA standards 115.287, 115.288 and 115.289

1. Uniform data from all sexual harassment, sexual misconduct, or sexual abuse allegations which occurred in the Sixth Judicial District Department of Corrections.

**Report for date range 1/1/2023 to 12/31/2023 for 6<sup>th</sup> District**

<b>INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED Hope House</b>					
<b>1/1/2023 to 12/31/2023</b>					
<b>Type</b>	<b>Substantiated</b>	<b>Unsubstantiated</b>	<b>Unfounded</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>
Offender-on-Offender Abusive Contact	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Non-Consensual Acts	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Precursor Behavior	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Retaliation	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Other PREA	0	0	0	0	0
Staff Sexual Harassment	0	0	0	0	0
Staff Sexual Misconduct	0	0	0	0	0
Staff Retaliation	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

<b>INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED Anchor Center for Women</b>					
<b>1/1/2023 to 12/31/2023</b>					
<b>Type</b>	<b>Substantiated</b>	<b>Unsubstantiated</b>	<b>Unfounded</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>
Offender-on-Offender Abusive Contact	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Non-Consensual Acts	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Precursor Behavior	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Retaliation	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Other PREA	0	0	0	0	0
Staff Sexual Harassment	0	0	0	0	0
Staff Sexual Misconduct	0	0	0	0	0
Staff Retaliation	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

<b>INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED Lary Nelson Center</b>					
<b>1/1/2023 to 12/31/2023</b>					
<b>Type</b>	<b>Substantiated</b>	<b>Unsubstantiated</b>	<b>Unfounded</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>
Offender-on-Offender Abusive Contact	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Non-Consensual Acts	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Precursor Behavior	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Retaliation	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Other PREA	0	0	0	0	0
Staff Sexual Harassment	0	0	0	0	0
Staff Sexual Misconduct	0	0	1	0	1
Staff Retaliation	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED Gerald Hinzman Center</b>					
<b>1/1/2023 to 12/31/2023</b>					
<b>Type</b>	<b>Substantiated</b>	<b>Unsubstantiated</b>	<b>Unfounded</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>
Offender-on-Offender Abusive Contact	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Non-Consensual Acts	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Precursor Behavior	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Retaliation	0	0	0	0	0
Offender-on-Offender Other PREA	0	0	0	0	0
Staff Sexual Harassment	0	0	0	0	0
Staff Sexual Misconduct	0	0	0	0	0
Staff Retaliation	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

2. The data, as noted above has been reviewed to assess and improve the effectiveness of the Department's sexual abuse prevention, detection and response policies, practices and training.
  - a. Identify problem areas: The District conducts an Incident Review for any incident that requires a review. Developing a culture of zero tolerance for sexual abuse and sexual harassment is an ongoing process. We continue to encourage staff to be mindful of potential areas of concern.
  - b. Any corrective action taken for each facility and the Department as a whole is determined on a continuous basis and as deemed necessary from an Incident Review.
  - c. Comparison of current data collected to previous years: 2016 there were 9 incidents that lead to sexual abuse/sexual harassment investigations, 2017 there were 7, 2018 there were 12, 2019 there were 5, in 2020 and 2021 there were 2 each year, in 2022 there were 4 reported incidents and one reported incident in 2023.

- d. An assessment of the Department's progress in addressing sexual abuse: We continue to educate all new staff, veteran staff, contractors and volunteers about how to prevent, detect, and respond to sexual abuse and sexual harassment and the importance of adhering to the PREA standards. The Department has 13 PREA investigators to enhance our ability to respond to PREA complaints in a timely and efficient manner. All residential facilities in the Sixth District have successfully passed their PREA audits.

Approved By:

  
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Joel McNulty, District Director

5-28-24  
Date